

HOUSE BILL 3522

By Gotto

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8,
Chapter 4, Part 1, relative to the comptroller of the
treasury and government fraud.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated Title 8, Chapter 4, Part 1, is amended by
adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

8-4-1__.

(a) Any official of any agency of the state having knowledge that a theft, forgery,
credit card fraud or any other act of unlawful or unauthorized taking, or abuse of, public
money, property, or services, or other shortages of public funds has occurred shall
report the information immediately to the office of the comptroller of the treasury.

(b) The comptroller of the treasury shall have the power to prescribe the method
of making the reports.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring
it.